

## 6.3.2 Daycare Facilities: Specific Regulations

### *A. Childcare Facility*

Outdoor activity area(s) shall be enclosed by a security fence shall be located outside of the front building setback as established by this Ordinance.

1. The fence or wall shall be made of any suitable and durable material that is intended for a fence.
2. The fence or wall shall be designed so that a four inch (4") diameter sphere cannot pass through any opening.
3. All gates and doors opening through such fence or wall shall have self-closing and self-latching devices which keeps the gate or door closed at all times; however, the door of any dwelling which furnishes part of the enclosure need not be so equipped.
4. Parking areas shall not abut fenced play areas without provisions for ballasts or curbing.

### *C. In-Home Childcare Facility*

1. In no case shall any in-home childcare facility have more than that maximum number of children allowable. Of that number, the following requirements must be met:

- a) No more than five (5) pre-school-age children shall be cared for.
- b) No more than eight (8) school-age children shall be cared for.

2. Childcare provider must live in the residence full-time.

3. Required outdoor activity area(s):

- a) Shall be enclosed by a security fence at least four (4) feet in height;
- b) Shall be located outside of the front building setback as established by this Ordinance; and
- c) Shall be the product of 75 square feet times 50% of the approved enrollment.

Approved enrollment includes the permitted number of pre-school-age children and the school-age children.

Example:

50% of 13 children x 75 sq. feet. = 487.5 sq. feet of play area.

**Play are would need to be a minimum of 22 feet x 22 feet to meet requirement.**